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February 19 1781

To the Honorable General Assembly of the State of Vermont now Setting at Windsor,

Your Committee beg leave to report as follows Viz, that the Petition from Hartford, Praying for a Division of said Town, into Two Societies be Dismissed

Benj: Whipple Chairman

~~Resolved~~ in relation to Connecticut River ~~That matters~~ That matters
in which a majority of either part of the board of war cannot
agree shall be determined by a quorum of the whole
to be convened by the president on application of
board ~~which~~ a majority of either part ~~shall have power~~
~~to call together~~ or ~~in the~~ he shall judge necessary ~~That~~
the board of war be directed and empowered at discretion
to raise such number of volunteers by bounty from the
State as together with such men as have been or shall
be raised by other measures already adopted by the State
shall amount to the fifteen hundred before mentioned
and that the whole be divided into two regiments
to be properly officered
and stationed in equal proportion on the east and
west sides of the mountains a quorum of the whole board shall
from time to time direct

And That in order to defray the expence of defending the
frontiers in the manner before mentioned they convene
it necessary that the Assembly at their present session
devise ways and means to supply their treasury immed-
-diately with a sum not less than thirty thousand pounds
Lawful money of this State

Windsor April 12th 1781 Ira Allen for the Committee

State of Vermont

In General Assembly April 12th 1781

The aforesaid Report was read and accepted
and for concurrence

Attest Matthew Lyon Clerk

In the House of Representatives April 12th 1781

The above Report being read & considered
the question was put shall the same be concurred with

Attest Matthew Lyon Clerk

The reasons why I have not sent the Report of the Committee of both houses, with the Resolution of Assembly thereon are that the bill was long and took longer to copy than was expected, that the appointment of the Committee happened to be laid aside among other papers and could not be found till twelve O'Clock, that it was expected that Govr. Page would have waited at Windsor till the Copies were ready, that about one Clock the Copies were offered to Govr. Page and he did not take them

To the honorable committee of both houses of Assembly of the State of Vermont now sitting in Windsor.

The committee of Convention beg leave to inform that they are desirous to know whither the Assembly's committee are willing the towns represented in convention & others on the New Hampshire Grants should be united with them in one separate independent government, in case terms of union can be mutually agreed on.

The committee of convention wait at Mr. West's for an answer

Elisha Payne for the Com.

Tuesday morning
10 o'clock
13th Feb. 1781

To the Hon.ble Gen.l Assembly
of the State of Vermont in Windsor

Your Committee to whom
was Referd several Resolutions
from a Convention now Sitting at
Cornish beg Leave to Report thy.
That this Assembly is willing to
[redacted] the Inhabitants of the Newham
shires Grants East of Connecticut
River & West of the Mason line
into Union with this State if
we can agree on Terms that
shall be Safe for this State & Equi-
table for the whole.

Per order
Windsor Feb.y 16th 1781 Tim.o Brownson Ch.n

To the Honorable General Assembly now
your Committe appointed to wait on the
Committe In order to find the Sum Due to
Boy Jean to Report that they find
Due on Rights to Sundry Townships — £
Due on Notes — 734 5
Eight Townships the fees unpaid — £201 1
Bennington 26th of February 1782. Total £5925 14 4

G. Olin for the Committee

To the Honorable General Assembly

Your Committee to whom was Referred the Petition of Colo. Warner &c. Beg leave to Report the Facts and Report as follows Viz.

That the Committee of the New Hampshire Grants at their meeting at Cumberland June 24. 1776. when a Petition was Put in Signed by Sundry Officers in the Service of the Grants Your Petitioners in the following Station Viz —

Colo. Seth Warner as Colo. Colo. Jon Robinson as Lieutenant — Lieu. Asa Kasbom a Virginian

Therefore Your Committee Beleive it Reasonable that in their Opinion the Above named Officers &c. Should have their Respective Wages & Rations for the Time according to their Time in Service. Viz — Colo. Warner 2 Months Colo Robinson ~~2 months~~ and Each Captain 2 months Each

Lieu. Asa Kasbom 2 months Each

Bennington Feb. 25. 1782. John Virgen. for Com

State of Vermont

In Genl Assembly

The petition of Jared Coates to the
Genl Assembly of Jared Coates to the
Genl Robinson & Ariel Wa
Ordered that a Bill be brought
thereon Accor

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Bennington 28 Feby 1782

To the Honorable General Assembly now Setting your Committee Appointed to take into Consideration make enquiry what hard money there is now Going into the Treasury & ascertain how said Money shall be distributed beg Leave to report that they find that there is £369 in hard money now to go in to the Treasury and that they find that it will take £226 17 10 one reckoning two days pay to pay one third of the Debenture of Council & Assembly, & that when one Hundred pounds is paid by for the Agents to Congress there will be left £42 18 2 & when left out of which it is the Opinion of your Committe that Governor Chittenden have Eight pounds of said Money on account of the Order he has on the Treasury General & Bro Brush on his like order, to Mr Spooner £6 on his like order to Mr Armsteud £6 on his like order

N. Lyon for Committee

Bennington Feb.y 27th 1782

To the Honorable the General Assembly now Setting

Your Committee Appointed to Confer with the C. Gen.l Purchase Respecting the Supplying the Troops with Provision the Ensuing Campaign — Beg Leave to Report that it is the Opinion of this Committee that the Tax of the Provision Tax Ordered to be Raised at the Session in October 1781 Ought to be Collected the one half to be Collected immediately — the other half to be Collected by the first Day of September Next Nevertheless it is our Opinion that any Town in this State may have the Priviledge to pay said Tax in Hard Money at the Current Price of such Provision Provided such Sum of Money be Paid } Promise for the Com.t by the 15th Day of April Next —

State of Vermont In General Assembly Feby 27th 1782

The above Report was Read and Accepted

Attest Jon.a Hunt Clerk

Your Committee Appointed To Examing The State
of the Treasurers Accounts Beg Leave To
Report the Opinion Respecting Laying
a Tax this Present Session, Report that
We find The State Indebted after all the
Paper Money Taxes are Collected which
have already been Laid £ 1761-12-2
We also find the State Debt on the hard
Money Taxe already Laid £ 809-7-11

your Committee are Therefore of Opinion
that a Small Taxe Ought to be Laid
at this Session in hard money to answer
the Present Exigencys of the State alls.
Which is Humbly Submitted per Gideon Hinsdale Com.

Examined

Birmingham 28 Feb. 1782

To the Honorable General Assembly now Sitting your Committe Appointed to take into Consideration and make enquiry what hard money there is now Going into the Treasury & ascertain how said Money shall be Distributed beg leave to report that they find that there is £369 in hard money now to go in to the Treasury and that they find that it will take £226-17-10 to pay one third of the Debenture of Council & Assembly, & that when one Hundred pounds is laid by for the Agents to Congress there will be left £42-18-2 left out of which it is the Opinion of your Committe that Governor Cain have Eight pounds of said Money on account of the Late Order he has on the Treasury General Lee £6 on his like order, to Mr Spooner £6 on his like order to Mr Josiah Trumbull £6 on his like order

M. Lyon for Committee

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